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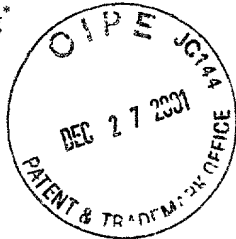
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The following is/are submitted to the Patent and Trademark Office for appropriate action:

1. A Notice of Incomplete Reply (Non-Provisional).
2. A Submission of Corrected Drawings.
3. Sixty-one (61) sheets of corrected drawings with appropriate margins, and in compliance with 37 C.F.R.1.84.
4. A Petition for Extension of Time – Four Months.
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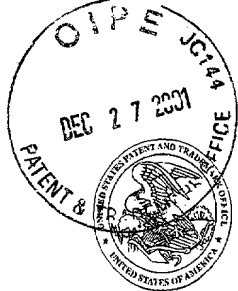
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A complete reply must be timely filed to prevent ABANDONMENT of the above-identified application.

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